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FOR SECRETARY'S PARTY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: PRESS ARRANGEMENTS - EUROPEAN TRIP

1. TWO DOUBLE ROOMS FOR PRESS CENTER RESERVED AT VIER JAHRES-  
ZEITEN HOTEL, ROOMS 110 AND 112. FIVE TELEPHONES AVAILABLE  
IN CENTER FOR NEWSMEN'S USE, ALONG WITH EIGHT MANUAL TYPE-  
WRITERS, TV SET FOR WATCHING SOCCER GAMES. ONE COPY UPI  
TELETYPE TO BE DELIVERED BY MESSENGER EVERY TWO HOURS  
BEGINNING AT 0500 FROM VOICE OF AMERICA OFFICE. EXPERIENCED  
AMERICAN AND GERMAN INFORMATION OFFICER WILL BE AVAILABLE IN  
CENTER.

2. HOTEL HAS ONE TELEX ON GROUND FLOOR AVAILABLE FOR OUTGOING  
MESSAGES WHICH IS MANNED BY OPERATOR, BUT OF COURSE MUST BE  
SHARED WITH ALL USERS INCLUDING NON-PRESS. HOTEL ACCEPTS  
CREDIT CARDS FROM AMERICAN EXPRESS, DINERS CLUB, MASTER  
CHARGE, EUROCARD AND BANK AMERICA. CREDIT CARDS FROM AMERICAN  
TELEPHONE COMPANIES UNACCEPTABLE. TELEPHONE CHARGES CAN BE  
REVERSED. MAIN MUNICH POST OFFICE, TEN MINUTES FROM HOTEL BY  
TAXI, ACCEPTS ONLY TELEGRAMS AND OFFERS NO TELEX FACILITIES.  
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UNQUOTE TELEGRAMS CAN BE SENT ON CREDIT ON SPECIAL FORMS IF

SENDER CAN PRESENT PROPER CREDENTIALS FROM HOME COUNTRY TELEPHONE-TELEGRAPH COMPANY. HOTEL HAS AVAILABLE OUTLET IN PRESS CENTER TO INSTALL ADDITIONAL TELEX MACHINE (WITHOUT OPERATOR) IF DEPARTMENT APPROVES AND WILL PAY \$210 INSTALLATION CHARGES. OTHERWISE NEWSMEN MUST USE HOTEL AND BUNDESPOST FACILITIES MENTIONED ABOVE. BAVARIAN RADIO CAN PROVIDE STUDIO BUT REQUESTS ADVANCE NOTICE OF WHEN NEEDED, POINTING OUT THAT WORLD SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP ALREADY OVERTAXING THEIR TECHNICAL FACILITIES. COMMERCIAL FLIGHT SCHEDULES FOR TRANSMITTING FILM WILL BE AVAILABLE.

3. INFORMATION KITS ON MUNICH AND BAVARIA WILL BE AVAILABLE, ALONG WITH FACT SHEET OF USEFUL INFORMATION LOCAL FACILITIES.

4. FULL-TIME INFORMATION OFFICER, JACK TOUHEY, WILL ASSIST AMBASSADOR ANDERSON, BACKSTOPPED BY BRANCH PAO AND STAFF.

5. BAVARIAN PRESS OFFICE HAS SUGGESTED JOINT STATE-FEDERAL-AMERICAN PRESS OFFICE IN BAVARIAN PRESS CLUB ABOUT TEN MINUTES BY TAXI FROM HOTEL. WE INSPECTED PREMISES, WHICH CONTAIN TWO TELEPHONES AND ONE TELEX. BELIEVE HOTEL PRESS CENTER MUCH PREFERABLE, IF ONLY BECAUSE OF 24-HOUR TELEPHONE SERVICE. COULD PROVIDE ONE STAFF MEMBER FOR LIAISON AT PRESS CLUB, IF NECESSARY.

6. WE SEE NO POSSIBILITY THAT AMERICAN PRESS CAN COVER SECRETARY'S ATTENDANCE AT WORLD SOCCER CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES, EITHER JULY 6 OR 7. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE PRESS OFFICE STATES NO PRESS TICKETS AVAILABLE. THERE IS NO ROOM FOR AMERICAN MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES, INCLUDING PHOTOGRAPHERS OR TV CREWS, IN MUNICH STADIUM PRESS GALLERY. ABC AND CBS REPORTEDLY REPRESENTED BY LONDON-BASED VISNEWS AGENCY (MUNICH TELEPHONE NUMBER 692-1773) FILMING GAMES FROM STAND BEHIND GUESTS OF HONOR. SECOND GERMAN TELEVISION (ZDF) COVERING GAME ON JULY 6. FOOTAGE AVAILABLE BAVARIAN OFFICE (MUNICH 9215-330). JULY 7 FINAL GAME COVERED BY FIRST GERMAN TV CHANNEL (ARD) (MUNICH 380-61). AP AND UPI PHOTO SERVICE WILL COVER (AP MUNICH 598-122 OR 592-231; UPI IN PENTA HOTEL (MUNICH 458-955).

7. INDICATION FROM SECRETARY'S PARTY ON WHAT EVENTS IN HIS CONFIDENTIAL

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SCHEDULE ARE CONSIDERED OFFICIAL, THEREBY REQUIRING OUR ASSISTANCE TO PRESS CORPS COVERAGE, WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

8. ADVISE SOONEST IF TELEX INSTALLATION IN HOTEL PRESS CENTER (PARA 2) APPROVED AND FUNDABLE SINCE GERMAN POSTOFFICE HOLDING LINE FOR OUR USE.SPIVACK

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